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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

SHANMUGASUNDRAM et al.

Serial No. 09/943,383

Filed: August 31, 2001

For: IN SITU SENSOR BASED CONTROL OF SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESSING
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Examiner: William D. Coleman

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 25, 2003 for five months, from April 25, 2003 to September 25, 2003.

Please charge the \$1970.00 fee to cover the cost of the extension to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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